Shorty George

Leadbelly

Well-a Shorty George, he ain't no friend of mine
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He's taken all the women and left the men behindWell-a Shorty George, he done been here and gone
Yes, Shorty George, he done been here and gone
Lord he left many a poor man a great long way from homeWell my baby caught the Katy, I caught the Santa Fee
Well she caught the Katy, I caught the Santa Fee
Well, you can't quit me, baby, can't you seeWell I went to Galveston, work on the Mallory Line
Went to Galveston, Lord on the Mallory Line
Babe you can't quit me, ain't no use tryin'Shorty George, travelin' through the land
Shorty George, he's travelin' through the land
Always looking to pick some woman's poor manWhen I get back to Dallas, I'm gonna walk and tell
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That the Fort Bend Bottom is a burning hell